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Subject: FW: Letter from EPA in response to Aug 21 letter requesting joint consultation with BLM

Attachments: Signed EPA_ReplytoOST_PresidentBearRunnerBLMLetter.pdf

Hi Chip,

Here is the EPA response letter to the Oglala Sioux Tribe.

I emailed the letter to President Bear Runner and the cc list on the August 21 letter from the Tribe emphasizing (below) EPA's request to hold the consultation meeting on Oct 2 and the tech meetings before that date.



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President Bear Runner,

Please find attached EPA's letter responding to your August 21, 2020 letter requesting joint consultation with BLM. EPA welcomes the opportunity for joint consultation with the Oglala Sioux Tribe and BLM.

As stated in the letter, EPA emphasizes the importance of adhering to the schedule for holding the EPA – BLM joint tribal consultation meeting with the Tribe on October 2, 2020.

In addition, EPA is available to hold the technical meetings requested by the Tribe before the October 2, 2020 tribal consultation meeting, and urges the Tribe to hold those meetings to gather technical information to share with the Oglala Sioux Tribal Council in advance of the October 2, 2020, tribal consultation meeting.

Thank you for your consideration of the requests in the attached letter.



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